IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Takashi Ikemoto et al.) Group Art Unit: 1795
Application No.: 10/584,306) Examiner: Cullen, Sean F
Filed: June 23, 2006)
For: MICROPOROUS MEMBRANE) Confirmation No.: 9018

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

REPLY TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

This reply is filed in response to the non-final Office Action mailed September 22, 2010. A petition for extension of time for one month and fee are being filed concurrently with this response.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.